

Amending provisions for recruitment rules of KVS and NVS

4636. SHRI ABDUL GAIYUR QURESHI:

SHRI GAYA SINGH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the provisions which regulate amendments in recruitment rules relating to posts of Commissioner, Jt. Commissioner (Admn.) and Director, Jt. Director (Admn.) of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan and Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, respectively;

(b) whether these recruitment rules have, of late, been amended; and

(c) if so, the details of amendments made?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) Recruitment Rules for the posts of Commissioner (KVS), Director (NVS) and Joint Director (Admn.), NVS are framed with the approval of the Government of India and are filled up with the approval of Appointment Committee of Cabinet. Recruitment Rules for the post of Joint Commissioner (Admn.) KVS are framed with the approval of the BOG of the KVS.

(b) and (c) The matter is under consideration of the Government.

Secondary Level Education

†4637. SHRI KAPIL SIBAL:

SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN':

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the year 2020 has been fixed by Government as deadline for making necessary arrangement to provide secondary level education to all in the country;

(b) if not, the facts in this regard;

(c) whether Government have made any assessment with regard to requirement of secondary schools in the country at that time;

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- (d) if so, the total number of schools likely to be required; and
- (e) the number of total secondary schools in the country till December, 2000?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) to (d) A Conference was organised by NIEPA in collaboration with the Ministry of Human Resource Development from February 14-16, 2001 in New Delhi. The perspective of Development of Secondary Education till 2020 was one of the major themes of this conference.

The participating secretaries and state officials were urged to develop state specific projections and plans for universalisation of secondary education.

- (e) As per Selected Educational Statistics 1998-99, the number of High/Post Basic Schools/Higher Secondary Schools/Pre-Degree junior colleges in the country is 112438.

Committees on reforms in education system

† 4638. SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:

SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN':

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a need to make reforms in the education system of the country;
- (b) whether it is a fact that a number of Committees had been constituted during the last decade for receiving suggestions in this regard;
- (c) if so, which Committees were constituted and when; and
- (d) the details of recommendations implemented and the Committee making those recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) to (d) Reforms in the education system of the country is a continuous process which is achieved through constant upgradation/innovation. Towards this

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